

LIVESTOCK DAY AT GRAND FORKS FAIR IS SUCCESS PARADE THIS AFTERNOON

Automobile Races Will be Feature of Closing Day of Exposition—Aeroplane Flight Again Today—Other Big Features on the Program.

The Grand Forks fair, which for four days has entertained thousands of visitors, will come to a close tomorrow with the greatest automobile race meet ever held in the northwest. There are eight big events on the program, and with several special prizes being up, some exceptionally fast races are anticipated. This is live stock day, but because of the intense heat it has been necessary to call off the stock parade, which was scheduled for 4 o'clock. Cattle men were anxious to bring out their animals in such heat and the association quickly called off the event.

Social Contest. The rest of the program this afternoon was carried out according to schedule. At 4 o'clock, Baxter Adams, the victor who made such a big hit yesterday, staged his race with J. Kilpatrick, who drove a high-powered Buick. Following the race, Mr. Adams gave his exhibition of dancing, which included the loop-the-loop, the death glide and other thrilling feats. Tonight, there will be a double balloon ascension and parachute drops from each. Walter Raub will ascend in one and one of his lady assistants will make the flight in the other. Tomorrow, there will be an exceptionally big ascension. Mr. Raub, Miss Adams and Miss Lawrence will go up in one balloon and each will make parachute drops. Amateur Games. The auto-polo game for tonight will be featured by a short exhibition by two amateur players. The exhibition will precede the regular game, which, judging from Ralph Hankinson's instructions, will be the best of the week. "Go to the limit, boys!" said Mr. Hankinson this morning, as arrangements were completed for the exhibition.

ANOTHER SCORCHER IS REPORTED TODAY FROM UPPER VALLEY OF RED

(Herald Special Service.) Fargo, N. D., July 28.—With a temperature of 89 degrees at noon today, a fifteen mile wind scurves to lessen the intensity of the heat, but today's record will be close to yesterday's record of 95 degrees, which killed one and prostrated many.

TRENCHES IN FRANCE TAKEN BY RUSSIANS

Delville Wood is Now all in Possession of British Forces. Austrians are still retreating. Italians claim successes in the region of the Dolomites.

Paris, July 28.—Russians in reconnoitering Auberville, in Champagne, says the French official statement this afternoon, penetrated the German trenches and cleared them with hand grenades. The Russians took some prisoners. The German attempt to attack near Ligny, north of Charner, was arrested by French infantry fire. On the right bank of the Meuse, in the Verdun region, the German preparations to attack the Triaumont works were stopped by artillery fire. Two German aeroplanes were shot down in the Somme region.

BREMEN TAKEN INTO HALIFAX LATEST RUMOR

Second Under Sea Boat Reported Captured by British Fleet.

Information in Private Letter Report is Denied by the Minister of Province Marine.

New York, July 28.—Another circumstantial report regarding the whereabouts of the German merchant super-submarine Bremen, long expected in some American port, is that the ship has been captured by British patrolling squadrons, and today is tied up in the northwest arm of the harbor at Halifax, N. S. The report of the capture which is published here today is given in a letter said to have been written by the secretary of a high Canadian official to a business man in this city. The letter is declared to have been mailed from Buffalo, N. Y., two days ago, and therefore could not have been subjected to the scrutiny of the Canadian censor. The letter was written in confidence, it was stated, but the information contained was divulged by the recipient to a friend in the course of an argument as to whether the Bremen could pass through the British barrier. Tried for New York. Private information is to the effect that the Bremen was ordered to make New York harbor if possible but in the event that this was not feasible, to go to any other American port that presented a favorable opportunity of entrance. Important mail for bankers here and probably for the merchant submarine Deutschland is said to have been aboard. The long delay of the Deutschland, now in Baltimore, in leaving for home is said in some quarters to have been due to the fact she was waiting for further instructions in the Bremen's mail bag.

PICKLES ORDERED FOR USE OF THE TROOPS GUARDING THE BORDER

Houston, Tex., July 28.—An order was received today by a local manufacturing company from the United States government for 3,000 16-gallon kegs of pickles or a total of 48,000 gallons for the use of the soldiers now on duty along the border.

FIVE HUNDRED VILLA TROOPS ARE CAPTURED

Amnesty Given to Prisoners by General Plank After Surrender. No Complaints of Recent Clashes.

Funston Wants Money to Rebuild Road to Pershing's Depot.

Mexico City, via Laredo, July 28.—Five hundred Villistas were captured in Zacatecas by General Plank, according to reports received here by the government. All were given amnesty. Media is Killed. Ignacio Media was killed in an engagement in San Luis Potosi, according to advices received here today. The department of foreign relations announced today it had no intention at this time of making representations to the United States government in regard to the recent clash of American troops and Carranza soldiers. The incident was said to be trivial, and was settled by the local authorities of the two countries at the border. Want Road Fixed. San Antonio, Tex., July 28.—General Funston has repeated to the war department his recommendation that \$50,000 be spent in rebuilding and repairing General Pershing's supply road from Columbus, N. M., to Colonia Duran. It was made known today, General Pershing recently requested that money be appropriated for the road and forwarded to the war department by General Funston, but no action has yet been taken.

EXHIBITS AT THE FAIR ARE HIGHLY INSTRUCTIVE TO THE PRACTICAL FARMERS OF STATE

All Varieties of Agricultural Work are Demonstrated with Special Emphasis on Importance of Diversified Methods in Production.

An exposition such as the Grand Forks Fair is a great clearing house for information. Any farmer who has not seen the exhibits on the grounds is impressed with the fact that for the farmer who reads the signs of the times, there are presented some striking lessons of the serious consideration. The Red River valley is known as the "Bread Basket of the World," and its people are proud of it. But at the same time the intelligent agriculturist of this section realizes that being the bread basket for such a heavy consumer as old man earth is an honor which he would willingly share with some other section. The far-sighted men of the Red River valley want to supply a good deal of wheat and bacon, milk and cheese, corn and hay, to his big consumer—he wants to break the latter's obnoxious habit of calling upon the northwest only when he wants wheat bread. Grain Not Emphasized. So the Grand Forks fair has no exhibit which lays special emphasis upon the raising of small grains. They are at best merely given a place in rotation. But when it comes to cattle, sheep and hogs, there is a lesson for the farmer on every corner. Probably no exhibit on the grounds so well illustrates the value of stock raising as that of the agricultural college. Particular mention should be made of the several pens of hogs, in which are exhibited various breeds of pigs showing the amount of various kinds of feed fed the animals in fattening them. There is a lesson of tremendous importance in the mere statement that hogs will gain a pound of weight per 3.5 to 3.94 pounds of grain or forage fed them. It requires no extensive comparison to show that it pays to sell farm crops directly by first converting them into bacon or the like. Cattle Exhibits. The exhibits of cattle are among the best to be seen anywhere. No farmer who views the fine, well-fed

animals can escape an earnest desire to possess some of his own. What can be done in four years is illustrated by the four-year-old 3,000 pound Devon bull—an animal so large that one might paraphrase Dickens and say, "he never stood on four legs, that animal." At the boys' encampment the youngsters are having daily talks, almost every one of which emphasizes the importance of live stock. Farm Machinery. Many machines and implements of practical usefulness, if not indispensability, to the stock raiser are on display on the grounds. Several silos are shown and are the object of much interest among farmers. When there are ensilage cutters with blower or conveyor attachments which for simplicity of construction and operation, are among the best on the market. Dairy Products. The dairy end of stock raising is amply taken care of from displays of cream separators, milk classifiers, milking machines and churns. The farmer who wishes to compare the merits of the different makes of cream separators, can find all of the principal makes in the Liberal Arts and Machinery buildings. The milk clarifying machines are among the first seen here. This machine removes all dirt and all foreign matter from milk and a very large part of the bacterial content. Aid to Farmers. The exposition offers many suggestions to the farmer who wishes to ease the labor of the farm household. Prominent among these exhibits are those which show the application of electricity in the home. Two large concerns show electricity producing units. These machines produce electricity which can be taken directly from the batteries which act as a repository of the surplus energy. They are self-regulating to an extent which makes their operation by inexperienced persons a matter of ease. With electricity on the farm, the North Dakota farmer has a convenience which will do much to bring most of the city comforts easily within reach.

HEAT SWEEPS WHOLE NATION

No Relief in Sight Says Federal Government Weather Experts.

Washington, July 28.—A "Bermuda high" is the official cause of the worst heat wave that has enveloped the country in fifteen years. Translated from the cryptic language of the weather experts, that means a great area of high pressure air has been mobilizing over the western and central parts of the Atlantic off Bermuda for the last month and now has let go the full power of its offensive from the seaboard of the Rocky mountains. For weeks it has stood like a solid wall against heated currents trying vainly to move out from the interior over the ocean and now as it swirls rapidly along it is gathering heat and moisture from the tropics and sweeping them northward over the continent. The official cause of the heat is the Bermuda high, which is a mass of high pressure air. It is expected to do so within the next few days. No relief is promised from the phenomena which in the east has caused sweating city dwellers to light fires in their homes to dry out the humidity or which in the Mississippi valley is threatening to destroy millions of dollars worth of food crops. Chief meteorologist Frankford said yesterday that the heat wave only had begun. It is certain to continue through the week and probably longer. None of the conditions essential to break-up are yet evident. The relief which often comes from the northwest is nowhere in sight.

CAPTAIN SHOT FOR RESISTING

Merchant Vessel Commander Faces a German Firing Squad.

Berlin, July 28.—(Wireless to Sayville.)—Captain Charles Fryatt of the British Eastern Railway steamship "Brunella," which vessel was captured by German destroyers last month, and taken into Zeesbrugge, has been executed by shooting after a trial before a German naval court martial. The death sentence was passed upon Fryatt because of his alleged action in attempting previously to ram a German submarine.

SPECIAL RULES FOR DRESS ARE PASSED

The Hague, Netherlands, July 28.—The official Reichsanzeiger of Berlin acknowledges the impossibility of enforcing the Kaiser's draconian rules regarding dress adopted the tenth of June. It admits the necessity for considering individual cases especially those whose vocations are quiet, using up of clothes, and are therefore entitled to receive more frequent renewals. The following relaxation of the rules has been announced: Presumptive Need for Renewals of Clothing. First—At the inauguration of a household—During pregnancy and childbirth. Second—Illness, or deaths, in the family. Third—Special church festivals, or entrance into a profession. Fifth—Other special cases affecting classes who presumably do not possess spare clothes.

STURMER SENDS FRANCE GREETINGS

Paris, July 27.—Boris V. Sturmer, the new prime minister of Russia, today forwarded the following telegram to Aristide Briand, the French premier: "I will be happy to collaborate with your excellency in drawing still closer the ancient bonds of friendship and alliance which unite indissolubly our two countries and to pursue in common accord the great task imposed upon us in the gravest existing circumstances."

STARS AND STRIPES WILL SOON FLOAT OVER THIS DANISH ISLAND IN THE WEST INDIES

Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, Danish West Indies. It is evident that such possessions can have little value to Denmark. For each a country, with no other territory in the same part of the world and with no great traffic to watch over and guard in the West Indies, they are nearly worthless. There is room for white colonists and the Danes sensibly refuse to go there to earn a living. English is the language most spoken on these little patches of ground, under the Danish white cross flag. For the United States the islands which Denmark is said to have agreed to sell if this country will pay \$25,000,000 for them, have a very different importance. St. Thomas is not fifty miles from Porto Rico. The Danish islands lie in the pathway of commerce between Europe and the Panama canal. They have harbors which might be of such value to the United States navy, in case of war. But what is of vastly greater importance is the fact that if they were bought by this country there would be one less source of possible international complications in the vicinity of the Panama canal. One small St. Thomas would present a possibility of appearing on the list of nations of the old world still retaining possessions in this hemisphere. Greenland does not matter. There would be an end of the talk of possible designs upon the Danish islands in the West Indies by some great European power. "Such a change would make for the security and serenity of life in America," is the argument of those favoring annexation. "It would help to insure the peace of the new world. For the reason alone, if Denmark will sell her little islands in the West Indies for \$25,000,000 the investment will be well worth making. It will be another step toward the complete Americanization of America."

MASTER PAINTERS ELECT OFFICERS

Beloit, Wis., July 28.—Edward E. Olson of Oconomowoc was today elected president of the state Master Painters and Decorators' association at the closing session of the convention. Other officers elected are: Vice President, Robert G. Harper of Milwaukee; and secretary-treasurer, Leonard Forrester, Milwaukee. F. W. Dupke, Beloit and Henry L. Macera, Racine, Benjamin Mantz, Madison and Anton Huml, Lake Geneva, were elected delegates to the international convention of Master Painters and Decorators to be held in New Haven, Conn. Fond du lac was chosen for the 1917 convention city.

TO GRAB BALKAN TRADE

The Hague, July 28.—The Balkan Coal Trade company, in the title of a new concern just formed in Berlin by the principal coal masters, the object of the company being to deal in coal with the Balkan countries. The capital of the company is four million marks. The Prussian minister of finance participates to the extent of four hundred thousand marks, and Prince Hans Heinrich von Pless is also a shareholder.

DOCTORS WILL PLAN RELIEF

Conference on Infantile Paralysis Scheduled in New York.

New York, July 28.—The city health authorities and Mayor Mitchell conferred today regarding the composition of a list of 15 or 20 prominent physicians, who will be invited to come to New York from different parts of the country and join in the battle against infantile paralysis. The visiting physicians will receive all their expenses and the board of estimates yesterday unanimously voted \$3,000 for the purpose. An account of a solution the disease has received lately throughout the United States, Commissioner of Health Emerson expects the meeting to develop many new and important suggestions for checking the spread of the epidemic.

MUNITIONS TIED UP IN FACTORIES

Dayton, Ohio, July 28.—Thousands of dollars worth of ammunition in process of manufacture for European nations in Miami valley factories, was held up yesterday in attachment proceedings instituted in the local courts by the Brownell company and the Flatiron Works company, both of the city, against the Canadian Car & Foundry company, and its New York agent. The sum of \$722,974 is claimed by the plaintiffs on the ground of breach of contract.

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